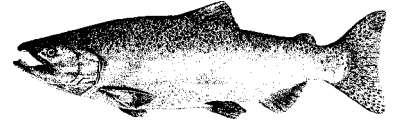




Washington  
Department of  
**FISH and  
WILDLIFE**

# STATE RECORD GAMEFISH APPLICATION

(See reverse side for instructions)



## Part A

To be completed  
by applicant

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Game fish species \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone (      ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Common name —see list on back  
Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Bait or lure used \_\_\_\_\_  
or pounds ounces  
Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Fishing method (troll, spinning, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
pounds hundredths/lb.  
Date of catch \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_  
Where caught (be as specific as possible) \_\_\_\_\_ I, \_\_\_\_\_ certify that the  
signature  
above information is correct and that this fish was caught  
in accordance with state law.  
water  
county

## Part B

To be completed  
by two witnesses  
to weighing

I certify that the fish described above was weighed on state certified scales in my presence (See instruction #2 on back).  
on \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_  
location of scale: city state zip  
and weighed \_\_\_\_\_ pounds, \_\_\_\_\_ ounces or \_\_\_\_\_ hundredths/lb. (Circle one)  
Date of last certification \_\_\_\_\_  
1. Scale operator/owner \_\_\_\_\_  
signature address phone  
2. Other witness \_\_\_\_\_  
signature address phone

## Part C

To be completed  
by WDW field and  
regional personnel

I have inspected the fish described above and verify the species as \_\_\_\_\_ and there is no  
common name scientific name  
evidence that would disqualify if from consideration as a state record.  
Identifying characteristics: Length (total) \_\_\_\_\_ Girth \_\_\_\_\_  
signature of Department of Wildlife fisheries biologist date  
taxonomic key used to identify fish; please name the publication  
This species determination was made based upon the following characteristics \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Approved by \_\_\_\_\_  
signature of regional fish biologist or regional administrator date

# RECORD GAMEFISH APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Only the following gamefish species may be entered:

## BASS

Largemouth bass  
Smallmouth bass

## CATFISH

Brown bullhead  
Black bullhead  
Yellow bullhead  
Channel catfish  
Blue catfish

## BURBOT

Burbot (freshwater ling)

## CRAPPIE

Black crappie  
White crappie

## PERCH

Yellow perch

## PIKE

Northern pike

## SUNFISH

Bluegill sunfish  
Green sunfish  
Rock bass  
Pumpkinseed  
Warmouth

## TROUT

Brown trout  
Bull trout  
Cutthroat trout—resident  
Cutthroat trout—sea-run  
Cutthroat trout—Lahontan  
Golden trout  
Dolly Varden—resident  
Dolly Varden—sea-run  
Eastern brook trout  
Kokanee (silver trout)  
Atlantic salmon  
Rainbow trout  
Steelhead— summer-run (includes all steelhead caught  
above Bonneville Dam  
Steelhead—winter-run  
Lake trout (Mackinaw)

## WALLEYE

Walleye

## WHITEFISH

Lake whitefish  
Mountain whitefish

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- It is the responsibility of the angler to contact a representative of the Department of Wildlife for positive identification and inspection of the fish. Such inspection may require extensive measurements and scale samples.
- This application must be accompanied by a clear, unretouched photograph of the fish and angler who caught it, and preferably, with a second picture of a side view with the fish lying beside a yardstick. The photographs will not be returned.
- The angler must send the completed application to the Department of Wildlife's Olympia office within 30 days of the catch in order to be considered for a state record certificate. Send applications to: Washington Department of Wildlife, Aquatic Education Program, 600 Capitol Way N., Olympia, WA 98501-1091.

Additional information may be required for possible world record certification.

## Part D

WDW/Aquatic  
Education  
Office use only

Date received \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Rejected \_\_\_\_\_ Reasons for rejection \_\_\_\_\_

Date certificate issued \_\_\_\_\_

Comments \_\_\_\_\_

signature of State Records Program coordinator

# RECORD SPORTFISH APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Only the following gamefish species may be entered:

Freshwater Fish		Saltwater Fish	
BASS	SUNFISH	CHIMAERAS	SABLEFISHES
Largemouth bass	Bluegill sunfish	Ratfish	Sablefish
Smallmouth bass	Green sunfish	CODFISHES	SALMON
BURBOT	Rock bass	Pacific hake	Chinooksalmon
Burbot (freshwater ling)	Pumpkinseed sunfish	Pacific cod	Chum salmon
CARP	Warmouth	Pacific tomcod	Coho salmon
Common carp	SALMON AND TROUT	Walleye pollock	Pink salmon
CATFISH	Atlantic salmon	FLOUNDERS - LEFTEYE	Sockeye salmon
Brown bullhead	Brown trout	Pacific sanddab	SCULPINS
Black bullhead	Bull trout	FLOUNDERS - RIGHTEYE	Cabezon
Yellow bullhead	Chinook salmon	Arrowtooth flounder	Great sculpin
Channel catfish	Chum salmon	English sole	Pacific staghorn sculpin
Blue catfish	Coho salmon	Pacific halibut	Red Irish lord
Flathead catfish	Cutthroat trout—resident	Petrale sole	SHARKS
CRAPPIE	Cutthroat trout—sea-run	Rock sole	Blue shark
Black crappie	Cutthroat trout—Lahontan	Sand sole	Sixgill shark
White crappie	Cutthroat—westslope	Starry flounder	Spiny dogfish
MINNOWS	Dolly Varden—sea-run	GREENLINGS	SKATES
Northern pikeminnow	Eastern brook trout	Kelp greenling	Big skate
Peamouth chub	Golden trout	Lingcod	SURFPERCH
PERCH	Kokanee	ROCKFISH	Pile perch
Yellow perch	Lake trout (Mackinaw)	Black rockfish	Redtail surfperch
PIKE	Rainbow trout	Blue rockfish	Striped sea perch
Northern pike	Rainbow trout (Beardslee)	Bocaccio	TUNA
Tiger musky	Steelhead— summer-run	Brown rockfish	Albacore tuna
SHAD	Steelhead—winter-run	Canary rockfish	WOLFFISHES
American shad	WALLEYE	China rockfish	Wolf eel
SUCKERS	Walleye	Copper rockfish	
Bridgelip sucker	WHITEFISH	Greenstripe rockfish	
Largescale sucker	Lake whitefish	Quillback rockfish	
Longnose sucker	Mountain whitefish	Tiger rockfish	
Mountain sucker		Vermillion rockfish	
		Yelloweye rockfish	
		Yellowtail rockfish	

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